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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.607, applicants herein hereby  
request declaration of an interference between the above-  
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